

CSWC Operational Period Summary

1800 March 19 2016 to 0600 March 20 2016



Folsom Lake's Brown's Ravine Marina 03/19/16

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SITUATION SUMMARY

National News – Significant Events

Indiana Town Grateful All Survived Basketball Team Bus Crash

(ABC) It was not the celebration planned, but a northwest Indiana community was grateful on Saturday that all 27 people on board a school bus carrying a high school basketball team survived a crash that left the bus upside down in a ditch with part of its roof smashed in. The bus carrying the Griffith High School boys basketball team to a state tournament semi-final game rolled over after a woman driver who had spilled her drink sideswiped the bus on Interstate 65. Griffith High School Superintendent Peter Morikis said freshman boys basketball coach David Garrett was in stable condition at a Chicago suburban hospital. All 20 of the students had been treated and released as well as three coaches, the team trainer, a ball boy and the bus driver. "When I saw pictures of the bus, my heart sank," Griffith Schools Superintendent Peter Morikis said in a statement. "We are grateful tonight that, despite a multitude of bumps, bruises, gashes and scrapes, every person involved in the crash has survived." Dominique T. Small, 23, of Terre Haute, Indiana, was southbound in the left lane when the lid of her drink came off and spilled on her. Small tried to grab the drink but lost control of her 2001 Kia and sideswiped the bus, which was southbound in the right lane, said State Police Sgt. Ann Wojas. Small and a passenger in her car also were taken to a hospital with non-life threatening injuries, Wojas said. Mark Kadowaki, a surgeon from North Carolina who was traveling to Wisconsin, said he arrived on the scene shortly after the accident and found the bus "upside down." "There were still some people trapped in the bus," Kadowaki told The Times. "One gentleman had to be extracted from the bus by the emergency crew. Everyone else was able to come out of the bus under their own power or with assistance." The Indiana High School Athletic Association said on its Twitter account that the team's game against Marion was postponed. Officials said they'll talk with Griffith High School administrators Sunday about a possible makeup date. Authorities said the investigation is ongoing and no one had been ticketed or charged as of Saturday evening. Griffith Public Schools will have counselors available to students and staff next week to help heal the emotional wounds. A prayer service was scheduled for Sunday at a local park in the community of about 16,500 people.

International News – Significant Events

Suicide bomber kills four, wounds 36 in Istanbul shopping district

(Reuters) A suicide bomber killed four people on Saturday in a busy shopping district in the heart of Istanbul, pushing the death toll from four separate suicide attacks in Turkey this year to more than 80. Prime Minister Ahmet Davutoglu said the blast was "inhumane" and would not stop Turkey, which has been targeted by Kurdish and Islamic State militants, from fighting "centres of terrorism". Israel said two of its citizens died in the attack, Washington said two Americans had been killed and a Turkish official said one victim was Iranian, suggesting that some of the dead may have had dual nationality. The blast, which also wounded at least 36 people, was a few hundred metres from an area where police buses are often stationed. It sent panicked shoppers scurrying into alleys off Istiklal Street, a long pedestrian avenue lined with international stores and foreign consulates. "There is information that it is an attack carried out by an ISIS member, but this is preliminary information, we are still checking it," Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu told reporters, using another name for Islamic State. He said a third Israeli may have died. Israel also said 11 of its citizens had been wounded while Ireland said "a number" of Irish were hurt. The attack will raise further questions about the ability of NATO member Turkey to protect itself against a spillover of violence from the war in neighbouring Syria. Turkey is battling a widening Kurdish insurgency in its southeast, which it sees as fuelled by the territorial gains of Kurdish militia fighters in northern Syria, and has also blamed some of the recent bombings on Islamic State militants who crossed from its southern neighbour. "No centre of terrorism will reach its aim with such monstrous attacks," Davutoglu said in a written statement. "Our struggle will continue with the same resolution and determination until terrorism ends completely."



SITUATION SUMMARY

BART Service Delay, Contra Costa County

- On 03/16/16 at 1735 hours, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received a report from the State Threat Assessment Center (STAC) advising that an electrical surge caused damage to 50 BART train cars on the tracks between Pittsburg and Concord in Contra Costa County. It could be months before a full fleet of trains is up and running
- BART still has a complete shutdown of service remaining between the North Concord and Bay Point stations. BART officials advised that riders should be prepared to continue taking a bus bridge between the Pittsburg-Bay Point and Concord stations at least through Monday morning
- BART has issued an Advisory on its website, stating that a 10-minute delay can be expected on the Pittsburg/Bay Point Line in the Pittsburg / Bay Point and SFO directions. Riders will still be able to board a BART train at the North Concord Station if traveling towards Oakland and San Francisco.
- A bus bridge has been established for riders traveling between the Pittsburg/Bay Point and North Concord-Martinez stations. Concord BART station has 14 buses that will bridge service while BART works on equipment problems between Pittsburg and Concord.
- BART isolated the problem to a portion of track along Highway 4, just east of the Willow Pass exit on the upslope entering the Pittsburg Hills. When the cars passed over this stretch of track, instead of delivering 1,000 volts of electricity, for an unknown reason the third rail was producing as much as 2,000 volts, according to a senior BART official. The track troubles do not pose any safety concerns for passengers.
- On Friday, BART reports that they were able to muster only 516 cars for service, 63 less than its goal of 579 trains to offer regular service for growing ridership
- Service on other lines in the system will also be affected because there will be fewer cars in service. BART urges passengers to check the their website before going to the impacted train stations at www.bart.gov/alerts
- The Cal OES Coastal Region and CSWC are monitoring the situation.

SITUATION SUMMARY

HWY 3 Roadway Damage, Trinity County

- On 3/15/2016 Trinity County Proclaimed a local emergency and activated their EOC to Level 1 due to a washout of 1000' of Highway 3.
- A detour is available between Weaverville and Trinity Center using East Side/Trinity Mountain Road; but trucks and RVs are not allowed due to tight curves. Large vehicles will need to access Trinity Center via Highway 3 from the North.
- Highway 3 over Scotts Pass is open, residents can leave the Coffee Creek and Trinity Center areas via Highway 3 to Yreka for supplies. Currently, the only route to take Coffee Creek and Trinity Center residents in 2 wheel drives to Weaverville is a 140 mile detour north on Highway 3 to Yreka, south on I-5 into Redding, and west on Highway 299.
- Highway 3 is expected to remain closed at the slide until Memorial Day weekend.
- Scotts Mountain Pass and East Side Trinity Mountain Road will be plowed starting tomorrow and throughout the storm.
- There are no requests for assistance at this time as all needs are being met. Caltrans, Trinity, Shasta Counties and contractors are working to alleviate transportation issues.
- National Weather Service are providing spot weather reports. More rain is predicted this weekend.

Health and Medical

- Basic Life Support EMS is available from the local Fire Department.
- A four wheel drive ambulance, which could meet an ALS ambulance if need be, is at the Slate Creek detour.
- Air Ambulances are available in good weather.

Baker to Vegas Cup Relay, San Bernardino County

- Cal OES Auxiliary Communications Service (ACS) deployed in support of the Baker to Vegas Challenge Cup Race where Cal OES ACS will be assisting San Bernardino County by providing OASIS and Communications at two locations in support of the Medical Base operations.
- OASIS will link the Doctors and EMS providers to the base hospital located in the Inland Empire.

Cal OES Mission Tasking

- **2016-SREOC-21067:** Cal OES communications support scheduled for March 18-20, 2016.

SITUATION SUMMARY

Weather of Concern

Northern California

- Moderate to briefly heavy rain will move through the North Coast this morning

Southern California

- Low clouds and fog will affect the coast and valleys

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Medford Weather:

A cold front will move inland today will bring rain to the coast this morning. Rain is expected to spread inland into the Rogue Valley mid-morning. Models indicate winds at 925 mb turns SW into the coast this afternoon and will help increase coastal winds. Areas near Cape Blanco could see wind gust to near 50 mph this afternoon. Elsewhere the Shasta Valley and parts of the East side will also see gusty winds. Have kept the current suite of wind advisories going.

Eureka Weather:

A front will move through the area on Sunday bringing widespread rain and locally gusty winds. Wet and unsettled weather will continue on Monday as another front moves onshore. Cooler air and high elevation snowfall will follow Monday night and Tuesday.

Reno Weather:

High pressure over the Sierra and Western Nevada tonight moves East today. A cool down with gusty winds is on tap for today into Tuesday as Pacific low pressure moves into northern California and Nevada. Rain and snow will move into northeast California today, but is not expected to become widespread in western Nevada until Monday Night. Drier and warmer conditions return to the region Wednesday.

San Francisco Weather:

Light rain will continue to spread across the North Bay this morning and down through the San Francisco bay area by this afternoon. A stronger frontal boundary will bring additional rainfall to the entire region on Monday, with the heaviest again over the North Bay. Dry weather conditions return by midweek along with a gradual warming trend into next weekend.

Sacramento Weather:

Wet weather returns today, lasting through Tuesday with rain, snow, and breezy winds. Travel over the Sierra may be impacted Monday into early Tuesday with lowering snow levels.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:

Hanford Weather:

A weak pacific storm system will bring cooler temperatures and a chance of precipitation with increased winds tonight through Tuesday. High pressure will bring dry weather and a warming trend through the remainder of the week.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

Night through morning low clouds and fog will affect many Coastal and Valley areas through Monday. A couple of weak frontal systems will bring a slight chance of rain to parts of the area late Monday and Tuesday along with a cooling trend and gusty winds. A warming trend is expected for the second half next week as high pressure builds into the great basin and offshore flow develops.

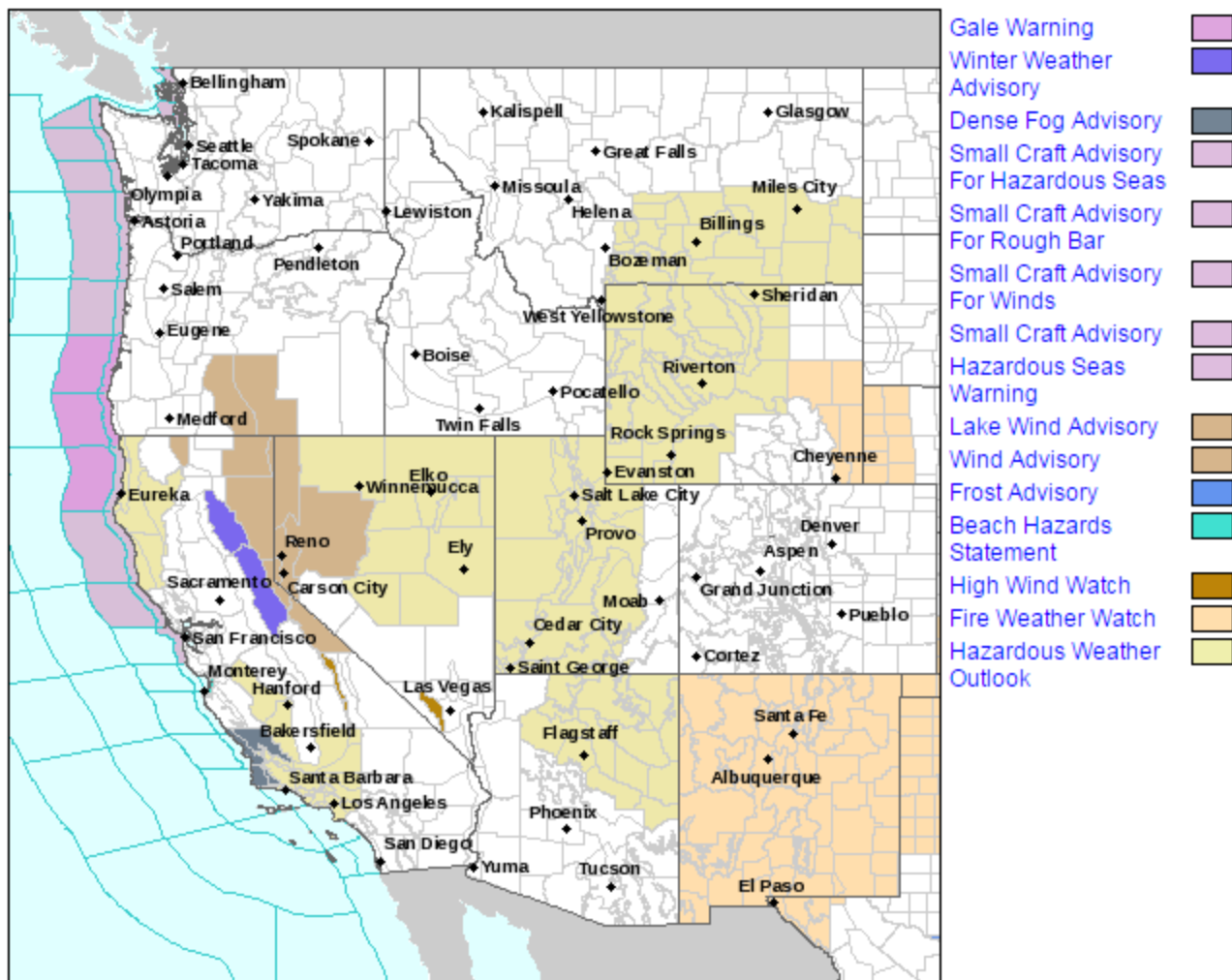
Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

High pressure will continue inland high temperatures around 10 degrees above average today with areas of morning low clouds and fog for coastal and western valley areas. For Monday and Tuesday a trough of low pressure will move inland through the Western states with stronger onshore flow for southern California bringing cooling gusty west winds in the mountains and deserts a deeper marine layer and a slight chance of light showers for the coastal slopes of the mountains and for the valleys for late Monday night into Tuesday. Dry with warming for Wednesday through Friday with slight cooling possible for next weekend.

Southeast California Weather:

High pressure over the desert southwest will result in clear skies and abnormally warm weather through Monday. Daytime highs will exceed 90 degrees at many lower desert locations before noticeably cooler temperatures arrive by the middle of the week. In addition windy conditions will impact the region as a cool pacific low pressure system moves inland.

STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Mar, 20th 2016 at 7:53:17 am MDT



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FIRE ACTIVITY

Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>



CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC and will be held once per month.

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Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 61 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 27 Counties: Butte, Colusa, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 13 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.